

**REMARKS**

The Applicant filed an Amendment in the above-referenced application on January 18, 2006 (the "Amendment"). The Examiner mailed a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment in the above-referenced application on January 27, 2006 (the "Notice"). In the Notice, the Examiner observed that new claim 14 added in the Amendment was inadvertently underlined by Applicant.

Attached hereto is a corrected set of claims for the Amendment. This corrected set of claims is identical to claims originally presented in the Amendment, with the exception that the underlining has been deleted from new claim 14.

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application and favorable action on all the remaining claims in this case in view of the Amendment and this Response. Should the Examiner have any questions regarding the Amendment or this Response, please feel free to contact the undersigned attorney at the phone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,



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